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recommend that the last sentence read, "We estimate that some further increase in total Soviet military expenditures over present levels is likely." It seems to us that the alternative is to write a paragraph (or a book). If our memory serves us, the reason for the abjective "slight" would seem to have been a combination of announcements relative to downward revisions in plan and that the U.S. official estimates were (to high.

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